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nished by the  
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**DEEDS RECORDED**

Chas. E. Reagan to Dick Wind-  
sor, 681.4 acres of the L. T. Lock-  
hart survey, \$13,840.  
Harry Johnson to Mrs. Eunice  
Johnson, lot in Oglesby, \$155.  
W. L. Ford to W. M. Johnson, 3  
lots in King, \$1800.  
R. L. Featherstone to J. W.  
Featherstone, 264 1/3 acres of the  
Geo. W. Franks, et al surveys  
\$1640.  
Louis Newman et al to R. W.  
Ward et al, 107 arres of the Ira  
Jones survey \$3750.  
M. W. Murray to Cloyle Byrom  
2.8 arres of Henry Sadler survey,  
\$2500.  
R. C. Hatfield to Graves Bates,  
2 acres, Levita, \$65.

## Births

Baby girl, born August 15, 1947  
at 3:54 p. m. to Mr. and Mrs.  
Harold Michael of Evant.  
Baby boy, born August 16, 1947  
at 4:36 a. m. to Mr. and Mrs.  
Curtis Smith, Purmela. A new  
County Commissioner.  
Baby boy, born August 17, 1947  
at 10:25 p. m. to Mr. and Mrs.  
Don B. Sheets, of Rt. 2, Gatesville

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Harry G. Stra w dnalVirginia B.  
Hamilton. Robert N. Hamilton  
and Doris La Juana Owens. Mar-  
shall E. Goodwin and Eldean For-  
bes. Thomas Henry Logan and  
Mildred Amanda Braziel.

## THEY GET THEIR AT BAYLOR BEAR RODEO

Floyd Hodges and Billy Pruett  
made the raffle at the Baylor  
Bear Club Rodeo Monday and  
Tuesday nights, and they were  
Floyd Hodges and Billy Pruett.  
John Henry Weaver of Pancake  
and Ray Tippit of Flat participat-  
ed Saturday night.

## Markets

Monday, August 18, 1947  
Corn, bushel .....\$1.75  
New Maize, cwt. ....\$2.60  
Oats, bushel......90c  
Wheat, bushel.....\$1.90  
Cream pound......62c  
Hens, pound......17c  
Roosters, pound......8c  
Fryers, lb......27c  
Eggs, No. 1, dozen......45c  
Eggs, No. 2, bozen......28c  
Turkey Hens, lb......16c  
Turkey Toms pound......12c

## L. B. Howe Gets Bale In 3 Minutes Ahead: Harry Johnson, 2nd.

Three minutes got the \$25 of-  
fered by Gatesville Chamber of  
Commerce for the first bale of  
cotton ginned during the 1947  
Cotton Season, and the prize went  
to L. B. Howe, of Eagle Springs,  
who came in with it, Bill Thom-  
son, Manager of the Gatesville  
Chamber of Commerce said he  
thought was Thursday.

The bale was said to have  
weighed 441 pounds, and it brot  
35c per pound, which is nice, too.  
What the seed brought was not  
stated.

Mr. Howe's bale was raised on  
the J. C. Keltner farm near the  
county line.

## One Case Last Week Case, State of Texas Versus Woodson

One case we overlooked last  
week was the case of the State of  
Texas vs Cecil Woodson, who was  
charged with theft of article over  
the value of \$50.

Decision was 2 to 5 years sus-  
pended sentence. Woodson is in  
the Army, and was last stationed  
at Ft Ord, California.

## WHY NOT?

Say, we need a shool building?  
Granted!

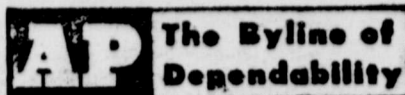
Sunday's Fort Worth Star, Tele-  
gram showed the way.  
Some West Texas town bought  
three or more barracks from a  
near-by Army Post, hauled 'em in  
nailed 'em together, and then,  
rock veneered them

Result: A dandy looking school  
building, all on the ground floor.  
Looks like, with 1000 or more  
to g under the hammer here be-  
ginning Wednesday, North Camp  
Hood would be an ideal place to  
get 3, 4, 5, 6 or more of these,  
mve them on the "lot", Mit-Tex  
'em, brick veneer or hollow tile  
them, and go right anead with a  
new building, and, NOW!  
It's an idea, anyway.

## 1000 Buildings To Go At North Camp: Bids Are Asked

Sealed bids will be received on  
1000 buildings to be sold at North  
Camp Hood. Buildings are bar-  
racks, theatres, warehouses, field  
houses and others.

First sale, August 13, and build-  
ings will be open for inspection  
8 a. m. until 4 p. m. Mondays thru  
Fridays. There are no priorities  
and you can bid on one or more  
buildings, according to I. C. Cor-  
yell, Real Estate Officer in charge



## Four Lost in Plane Crash In Pacific: Ambassador Among Lost

HONOLULU, Hawaii, Aug. 18.  
(AP) Surface ships continue to  
search today for Ambassador  
George Atcheson, Jr. and four  
others, victims of an Army plane  
crash, but chances of their sur-  
viving more than 36 hours in  
rough sea is so slender that al-  
most no hope remained of find-  
ing them alive.

Atcheson, Chief U. S. Political  
Adviser in the Japanese occupa-  
tion, and chairman of the Four-  
Power Council for Japan, is one  
of the four persons still missing.  
Five bodies were recovered yester-  
day and a sixth was seen to  
sink and three injured men were  
rescued.

## Military Agency To Back Mutual Defense Discussed

QUITANDINHA, Brazil, Aug.  
18. (AP)—The United States for-  
mally proposed today that the In-  
ter-American Conference discuss  
immediately the creation of a  
Military Agency to back up the  
Hemisphere's Mutual Defense  
Treaty.

## "Little War" In Big Way in Paraguay

ASUNCION, Paraguay, August  
18. (AP)—The government said in  
a communique today that Loyal-  
ist troops were advancing "in all  
sectors in tenacious pursuit of the  
Rebels who are fleeing in com-  
plete disorder.

## Water Carnival To Crown "Water Queen" August 26, P. M.

August 26, the weaker sex will  
vie via the bathing suit route to  
see which one has the most pul-  
chritude (whatever that is). It's  
a "Water Carnival", variously  
sponsored, and now under the di-  
rection of Mrs. B. K. Cooper and  
Miss Gwendolyn Hayes. The  
show will be 8:30 to 9:30 p. m.  
Besides the crowning of the  
"Water Queen", there'll also be,  
according to Sidney Pruitt, press  
agent, swimming races, a water  
polo game sponsored by Coach  
Lloyd Mitchell, and for the Knee-  
deep Korps, there will be a "frog-  
ging contest" and they'll be the  
frogs.

A small admission will be  
charged for those outside the fence  
and on the lawn, and this will go  
to finance the medals, decorations  
and the remainder will be turned  
over to the city swimming pool  
fund.

It's not too late to enter, and if  
you're in either class, we imagine  
you can make arrangements for a  
bathing suit.

Judges have already been  
named for the "Water Jueens"  
but, of course this is very much a  
"state" secret.

## EIGHT-PAGE "ALL-COLOR" COMICS DUE IN NEWS FRIDAY: WIDELY KNOWN COMICS

Another innovation for its  
Coryell County readers will be  
instituted Friday of this week by  
the News, when an all color 8-  
page comic or funny paper will  
be carried as a regular Friday  
feature.

Included in this colored 8-page  
section will be "Scorchy Smith",  
"Dickie Dare", "Oakly Doakes",  
"Things to Come" "Neighborly  
Neighbors" "Patsy in Hollywood",  
"Sport Slants" (a sports feature),  
"Homer Hoopie" "Hit 'n Run"  
and "Modern Maidens".

This is more "color" than is  
even carried by the Waco News-  
Tribune Times-Herald Sunday edi-  
tion, and is the regular Associ-

ated Press Tabloid Comis Section  
that is carried by the Miami  
Beach (Fla.) Sun-Star; Atlantic  
City, (N. J.) Press, and there are  
millions of readers in New York,  
Seattle, Baltimore and Oakland,  
which shows you, this is really  
the best in comics, and only the  
News brings you this feature,  
which carries no advertising.

Another feature of the comic  
section in the News, is that it'll  
be in your home, well before any  
of the dailies you have to offer,  
and, for the kids when you figure  
15c or more a week for "funny  
books", this comic section is go-  
ing to look awfully good with  
budgets strained like they are  
now.

## City Drug Store Now In New Hands: Ward Jameson of NC, Suh!

Of course, everybody knows  
Ward Jameson, who was here for  
a number of years as druggist,  
and, now he's back, and for sure.  
He's the new owner of the City  
Drug Store.

The deal was consumated a-  
bout the middle of the week, and  
Eddie Newton sold to Ward.

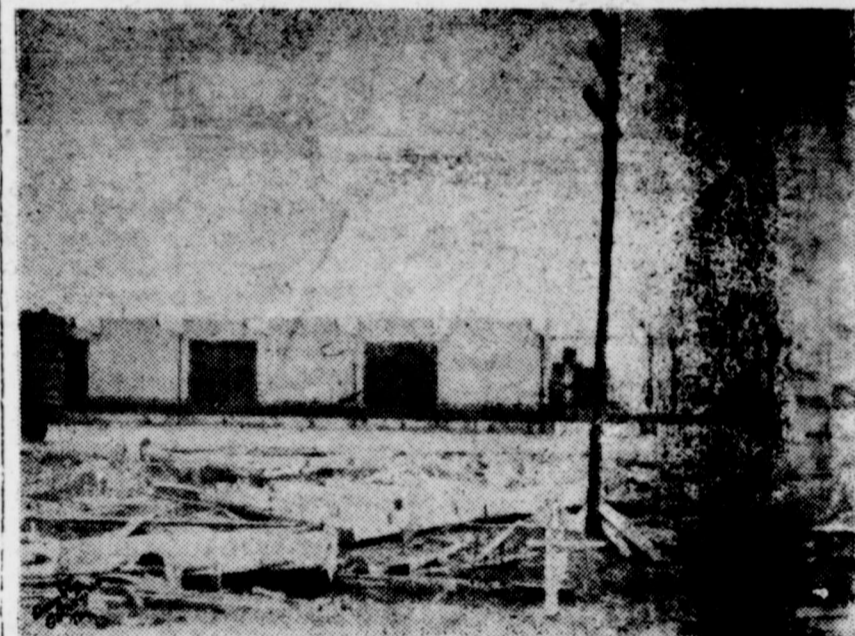
Mr Jameson rented a house  
here, and left for North Carolina,  
where he resides, for his family  
and household goods, and is ex-  
pected back to take over about  
September 1.

In the meantime, Mr. Newton  
will be on the job, and he said  
he had nothing in view, but was  
just "waiting".

ANY MORE WAR BONDS

County Agent W. P. Graham  
left last week for Des Moines, Ia.,  
on a short vacation, and will at-  
tend the Iowa State Fair.

News Classified ads get results



Damage to the St. Louis-Southwestern Railway station at Gates-  
ville at 6:30 Monday morning, August 11, when the freight and ex-  
press rooms of the station were unroofed.

This was a "one-shot" tornado, and the bilding shown was the  
only one that had any appreciable damage. The new roof had just  
been put on and painted. Debris in the foreground is from the roof.  
A part of the roof sailed over the 2 boxcars, the end of one which is  
seen in the left side of the picture. Part of the roof was carried over  
State Highway 36, from which this photo was taken. Photo by  
Harold Doughty, News Staff Photographer.



## STUDY OIL CONSERVATION

These three governors and  
Chairman Hiram M. Dow of Ros-  
well, N. M., of the Interstate Oil

Compact Commission discussed  
petroleum conservation measures  
at a meeting in Great Falls, Mont.  
They are left to right: Chairman

Dow; Gov. Sam C. Ford, Mont.;  
Beauford Jester, Texas; Frank  
Carlson, Kansas. (AP Wirephoto)

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## STATEWIDE PERIODIC MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTION IMPORTANT IN REDUCTION OF HIGHWAY ACCIDENTS

By Thomas N. Boate  
Director, Special Service Division, National Conservation Bureau

onrushing headlight and uneasily wondered whether the approaching vehicle was a motorcycle or an automobile with one headlight not working? Have you ever

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frantically stabbed at the horn button in an emergency and receive only silence—or jammed on brakes that would not hold, or that spun the car around like a top? Have you ever felt a blow-out drag at the wheel and swerve your car like a clutching hand? If you have, you realize these things cause accidents, and that keeping a motor vehicle in good repair is highly important as a preventive measure.

Defective equipment is reported to be currently the cause of 18% of the nation's traffic accident fatalities. That represents a steady increase in accidents resulting from this cause, beginning with 8% for the last pre-war year.

Faulty brakes, improper lights, and overworn tires constituted nearly half the mechanical deficiencies. Recent evidence developed by the National Brake Emphasis Program reveals that 14.3% of vehicles checked had faulty brakes. More thorough brake tests which include equalization, made in connection with periodic inspection programs, usually develop that 40% to 60% of the vehicles have poor brakes.

Greater traffic safety results from frequent inspections. This has been the experience of states and cities having a periodic inspection program. The purpose of periodic motor vehicle inspection is to discover any maladjustments in vehicles that might lead to accidents and, by correcting those maladjustments, to prevent accidents.

There are 10 major benefits resulting from motor vehicle inspection: 1. It improves the general standard of vehicle condition.

2. It maintains an automobile at a higher value level by lessening depreciation. 3. It affords opportunity to check motor and serial numbers actualy on the vehicle against registration certificates, and in other ways to assist in the enforcement of the motor vehicle laws. 4. It improves the quality of garage workmanship in making adjustments and repairs. 5. It provides an excellent opportunity to inform drivers about the condition of their cars and their responsibility for driving safely 365 days in the year. 6. The psychological effect on the driver is considerable, for the motorist who has been shown that his brakes meet only the minimum requirements will tend to drive more carefully. 7. Inspections also help to educate and keep car owners aware that certain parts need periodic attention and that it is less expensive to have the vehicle checked regularly and kept in repair than to wait until a breakdown occurs. 8. Rejection of a vehicle usually informs the motorist in a specific way that he is driving an unsafe car, and that as a consequence he is liable to be held as the negligent party in the event of a collision with a car that has been properly maintained. 9. The driver who subjects his car to periodic inspection tends to cooperate with enforcement officers and the general

public in the observance of traffic rules and regulations. 10. Periodic inspection provides for the motorist an inexpensive service not available elsewhere.

In 1946, police officers of the United States, Canada and Honolulu, examined nearly 3 million vehicles during a six-week accident prevention program. They found that 32.3% of all vehicles examined—nearly one third—had obvious and hazardous mechanical defects.

A total of 2,860,346 vehicles were made. Of this number, 922,775 had one or more defects. The total number of defects reported by types was 1,231,161 almost one dangerous defect for every two cars examined.

In the United States, 2,718,076 vehicles were checked: 872,290 or 32.1% had defects. In Canada police checked 128,814 vehicles 44,107, or 34.2% of which were defective.

In the State of New Jersey, during the first motor vehicle inspection year, there were 413 fewer fatalities, or a reduction of 30%, as compared with the preceding year. Total reportable accidents and non-fatal injuries also decreased 13%. This substantial reduction has been consistently sustained through the years.

Motor vehicle inspections in the United States have been recognized as an accident prevention medium since 1927, when several eastern states developed "Save A Life" campaigns.

There has been steady development to a pre-war total of 8,500,000 motor vehicles being regularly inspected from one to four times each year in 17 states and 15 cities.

Now, two years after V-J Day, this nationwide program has been 100% resumed with at least 2 states added to the list and 10 additional ones giving serious consideration to legislation requiring periodic motor vehicle inspection.

tion in the interest of accident prevention.

## WAR ON WASTE

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**PEARL**

Everyone is hoping for rain soon to top the dust and make the weather more pleasant.



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**Martin Cleaners**  
710 Leon St. Ph 483

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Martin of Houston are visiting with her sister, Mrs. E. M. Hampton and other relatives around Pearl.

We are sorry to report Mr. De Loach's improvement very slow at the present.

Erwin Davis of Bethany, Okla., and Wayman Davis of Waco are now visiting with their parents.

Mrs. Maggie Chambers and daughter of Lampasas are now visiting in the Johnnie McKinzie home.

News has been received that Gene Arthur has come to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Getcher in Brownwood. Mrs. Gotcher was formerly Juanita Cox of Pearl.

Nina Whitt spent the week at Copperas Cove visiting her aunt, Mrs. Arnold Whitt and family.

Sylvester Erwin of Houston spent the week end here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Erwin of Gatesville attended church here Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Key and family recently spent ten days in Erath county visiting with relatives and friends.

The Nazarene meeting is now in progress with Rev. G. M. Akin of Shreveport, La. doing the preaching. Morning services 11 a. m., and evening services at 8.

Mrs. Arnold Whitt of Copperas Cove visited with her sister, Mrs. Edd Herrington last Monday. Mrs. Clara Self returned with her for a few days visit.

The Cooper family and Vera Whitt visited with Mrs. Oran Thetford of Indian Gap Friday and enjoyed a fishing trip and a lunch on the Cow House while there.

Mr and Mrs. Elmore Keeton and daughter of Arnett attended church here Sunday at both services.

We are sorry to report L. J. Jearl Medart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otho Medart on the sick list at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Comer of Bee House attended Sunday evening services here.

We are glad to report that Ray Hammock is still improving.

Mrs. Gred Gafner and daughter of Freeport and Mr. and Mrs. Belvin Hardcastle and son of Ireland all visited their father, Geo. Hardcastle Wednesday afternoon.

Several from Pearl attended the funeral of Floyd Blackstock at Purnela Saturday afternoon. His daughter, Mrs. Mark Short lives in our community and has our heartfelt sympathy.

Evelyn King of Galveston spent the week end here with her mother.



Rep. Ewing Thomason (D-Tex) (D-Texas) right, House Minority center, recently appointed a fed-leader, at the capitol in Wash- ical judge for Texas, receives theington. Rep. Thomason submit- best wishes of Speaker of theted his resignation from Congress House Joseph W. Martin, Jr. (R-effective July 31. (AP Photo)

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**U. of Texas Graduates One From Coryell County in Summer Class**

Mrs. Lalla Rookh Martin Ward, is Coryell County's sole representative in the graduation exercises to be held at the University of Texas, Sunday, August 31.

The list of candidates includes 291, and Mrs. Ward gets her Bachelor of Arts degree.

**Coryell Boy Recently Admitted Scottish Rite Hospital**

Glenn Braziel, 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman R. Braziel of this city, was admitted recently to Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled children in Dallas for treatment.

The hospital, supported by individual contributions, offers the best possible medical care and attention free to crippled children who are accepted for treatment.

**Thursday Evening Event Was Wedding Rehearsal Supper For Moody Girl**

Thursday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Beerwinkle 1403 Bridge street, Miss Locille Beerwinkle, their niece, was honored with a wedding rehearsal supper.

Miss Beerwinkle was married to Charles Harris Howard, Jr. of Moody, Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock at the Methodist church in Moody.

Decorations were white wedding bells and white flowers decorating the party rooms, and were also a centerpiece for the bride's table, which was covered with an Italian cutwork cloth.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard Sr. of Moody, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beerwinkle and the bride-elect, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Payne and daughter, Ann; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Beerwinkle and daughter, Mary Jean, all of Moody; Mr and Mrs. Chris Gneht



**CRASH VICTIM HELPED FROM SCENE**

A passing motorist carries one of the victims of a highway crash

from the scene of a collision between a gasoline truck and a truck load of negro construction workers near Waxahachie, Tex.

The burning gasoline truck and wreckage of the other vehicle are in the background. At least 19 persons died in the wreck.

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**Series of Functions Honor Miss Cleo Holder, Bride-elect of J. T. Duncan**

Mrs. Grady E. Carson, was one of the matrons honoring Miss Cleo Holder, bride-elect of John T. Duncan of Alvarado, and was ably assisted by Mrs. Jap Leaird, the entertainment being a tea shower, held recently at her home on Pleasant street.

Mrs. Carson, Miss Holder and her mother, Mrs. R. M. Holder, greeted the guests at the door, as Miss Geraldine Preston registered the guests.

Mrs. Frank Morgan, sister of the honoree, with Mrs. Raymond Brod and Mrs. Harmon Sellers assisting, presided at the punch bowl.

Decorations were white tapers in crystal candelabra gracing the refreshment table, which was covered with a lovely lace cloth.

A large number were present at the tea.

**BAPTIST LADIES ENTERTAIN FOR MISS HOLDER**

Thursday afternoon, July 31, a miscellaneous shower was given by ladies of the Baptist Church of Turnersville, naming Miss Cleo Holder, bride-elect of John T. Duncan, as honoree.

Following a social hour, the honoree was given an envelope which contained a question. Reading the question aloud, she was told the answer could be found in an umbrella, and the many beautiful gifts added realism to the questioning.

A color scheme of red and white was used to decorate the affair at the church, and thruout the afternoon, Mrs. Leonard Daniels played the piano. Mrs. Grady Carson presided at the bride's book where about 45 guests were registered, following refreshments which was punch and cake.

**MISS HOLDER IS HONORED AT WACO PARTY**

Wednesday evening, last, Miss Cleo Holder, bride-elect of John T. Duncan of Alvarado, was entertained in Waco with a dinner, given by Mrs. Hanison Ewing and Mrs. Raymond Brod.

Enjoying the occasion were Mesdames J. Q. Edwards, Frank T. Morgan, Misses Edna Earl Ewing, Babe Scott, the honoree and the co-hostesses.

**Mrs. J. H. Lowrey Entertains at Mound For Miss Hamilton**

Mrs. J. H. Lowrey, of Mound, entertained in her home recently honoring Miss Virginia Hamilton bride-elect of Harry G. Straw of Gatesville.

Zinnias and crepe myrtle formed the centerpiece for the refreshment table, which was laid with a lace cloth.

Presiding at the punch bowl was Miss Annette Lowrey, assisted by Mrs. T. M. Hamilton, the bride-elect's mother.

Some forty or more guests registered during the afternoon.

**Stag Party For Harry Straw Given by Tom Post Thomson**

Wednesday, Tom Post Thomson son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Thomson was host to a number of friends, when he honored Harry Straw, at the Thomson residence at 1416 Leon Street.

Those enjoying the steak supper were James Reid Powell, Sam Powell, Jr., Joe Hanna, Kenneth Wallace, Billy Clay McClellan, besides the honoree and host.

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## OBITUARY

WALTER SCOTT SNOW

Walter Scott Snow, 69, died August 10, 1947 in the evening at his home near Levita. His wife was the former Miss Mary Annis Williams.

He was born January 27, 1878, and was a farmer and a member of the Methodist church.

Services were held August 11, 1947 at 3:30 p. m. at Purnela Baptist church, and interment was in Evergreen cemetery, Rev. G. L. Derrick conducting the services, Scott's in charge.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Water S. Snow, 2 sons, William and J. B. and one son who died Walter F. A daughter, Mrs. Clark Squires, and 11 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. He also had

2 brothers, A. J. Snow of Arnett, and Bob of New Mexico; 2 sisters, Mrs. Pearl Snow, Ireland, and Mrs. Ellen Matthews, Houston. Pallbearers were H. E. Huckabee, Audine Adams, E. M. Adams, Frank Bundrant, Bob Meyers and Jewell Freeman.

**H. CATHERINE WINFIELD**  
Mrs. Hattie Catherine Winfield, well known in Gatesville and Coryell county, where she had lived for the past 65 years, died at her home at 211 N. 8th, Gatesville, August 12, 1947, at 4:30 a. m., at the age of 77.

Mrs. Winfield's husband was the late J. S. (Steve) Winfield, to whom she was married on July 5, 1885. Mrs. Winfield was born on January 8, 1870, and her father was J. Pope Meador and her mother was the former Miss Catherine Bryant. She was a member of the Methodist church.

Services were held at her home August 13, 1947, at 4 p. m., and interment was in the City cemetery, with Rev. J. H. Sprinkle conducting, Scott's in charge.

Surviving are three sons, Oscar of Cifton and Wichita, Kansas; Ernest of Evansville, Indiana; and Edwin of Gatesville. She had 5 daughters, Mrs. U. D. Hodges, of Waco; Mrs. John L. Webb of Gatesville; Mrs. Roy Hagan of Waco; Mrs. H. C. Floyd of Waco; Mrs. Earl Heath of Gatesville. There are also 25 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren. She has a sister, Mrs. Maggie Ross.

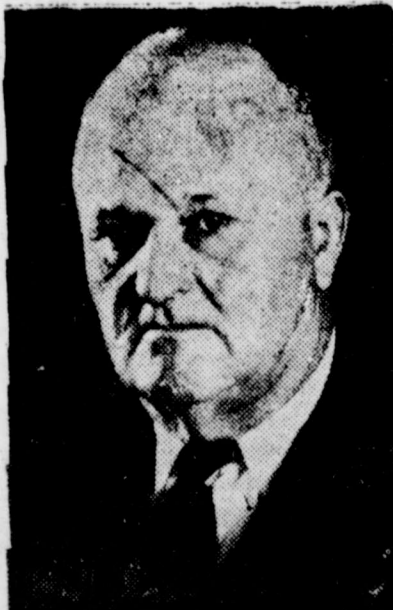
Pallbearers were John Gilmer, Thurman Kinard, John Graham, Claude Byrom, Kit Bridges and Johnny Washburn.

Charles Sheffield had as his guest the past week, his cousin, Donald Edwards of Osage.

Visiting with Mrs. J. B. Jones, recently, were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jones of Sunday.

Mrs. Claude Turner was a recent week end visitor in Waco with Mrs. C. E. Stockburger.

## CANDIDATE



Pat Hargrove, above, of El Paso is a candidate for Congress in the 16th Texas District in the special election to be held Aug. 23. (AP Photo.)

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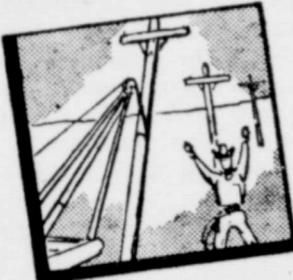
The driver of this truck lost control of it because its brakes were defective. It ran up on the sidewalk and plowed through the side of a house, killing two persons. In addition to the terrible toll of motor vehicle deaths and injuries last year—33,500 killed, 1,150,000 injured—the total economic waste amounted to almost two billion dollars. Brakes, tires, lights, windshield wipers and other safety features should be periodically checked as a safeguard against accidents. A recent nationwide testing program disclosed mechanical defects in one out of every three cars examined.

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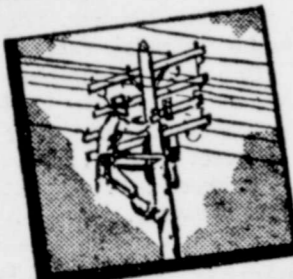
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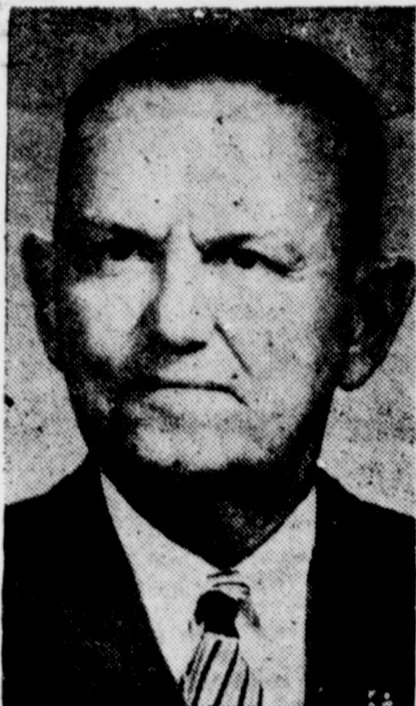
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In 1940, deposits by farmers in county banks totaled \$58 billion; in March of this year, the total was \$214 billion.

Mrs. R. H. Wiley visited Mrs. Nola McBride over the week end.

### MISSING



Dr. Robert H. North, above, of Monahans, Texas, who has been missing since June 7, when he was last seen leaving Big Bend State Park in search of food for his dog. His father is Michigan State Supreme Court Justice Walter H. North of East Lansing, Mich. (AP Photo).

### School Athletes Out If In Calf Scrambles Says I League

AUSTIN, Aug. 14. (AP) School-boy-athletes who are awarded valuable prize in calf scrambles or other rodeo events will lose their interscholastic league eligibility, league director Roy Bendichek warned today.

The amateur rule does not apply to contestants who are 15 years of age or younger.

"In view of the wide discussion over the state concerning the application of the present amateur rule of the interscholastic league, schools should be warned that the state executive committee has ruled out rodeo events in which money prizes or other valuable considerations are awarded. These rodeo events include calf scrambles," he said.

### Revival At Calvary Baptist Church Opens Friday

A revival will open at Calvary Baptist church Friday, August 22, according to the pastor Rev. G. L. Derrick.

The Meeting will close Sunday night, August 31, and the services will be held twice daily, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Classified Ads Pay in The News



### TEXAS HUDDLE

Six stars from four Texas schools get together at Evanston, Ill., where the college all-stars are working out in preparation

for the battle with the Chicago Bears in Soldier Field, Chicago, August 22. Left to right: Ted Scruggs, Rice; Weldon Humble,

Rice; Leonard Dickey, Texas A. & M.; Monte Moncrief, Texas A. & M.; William (Spot) Collins, Texas; and Jim Reed, Texas Tech.

### COUNTY BASEBALL TOURNEY TO HAVE AWARD FROM PITTSBURGH PIRATE BASEBALL CLUB

In a recent letter from Ray Kennedy, Farm Director of the Pittsburgh Pirate Base Ball Club, Mr. Kennedy writes regarding the County Wide Baseball Tournament to be played here soon.

"Glad to know that Heinie Manush, Andy Hewlett and Leo Mackey cooperated with you thru the means of an autographed baseball and we certainly have no objections to this being known at the Pittsburgh Pirate Coryell County Championship Baseball Award".

In reference to the proposed baseball school at Gatesville, Mr. Kennedy said:

"At the present time it is not possible for us to say whether or

not we will conduct these baseball schools on such a large scale in 1948 as we have this past season. However, a recapitulation of results will no doubt govern what is to be done next year.

"However, should we decide to continue with schools from coast to coast you can rest assured we certainly will be glad to give consideration to Gatesville, Texas, as one of our stops.

"What you have to offer is very attractive and certainly anyone interested in conducting these baseball schools could not very well pass up such a liberal proposition".

So, one never knows, and thank you, Mr. Ray Kennedy!

### TURNERSVILLE BUFFALOES DOWN CORYELL CITY SUNDAY IN A FAST ONE, 10-8: TEAMS EVEN

Looks like it's going to be a battle royal when Turnersville, Coryell City, Evant and Purnela feet in the Coryell County Baseball Playoff Tournament.

Just this past Sunday at Turnersville the Buffaloes turned in a close contest with Coryell City's nine 10-8, and that's fast baseball in our book.

Watts went the route for the winners, and Wiggs made six innings for the Coryell City boys, giving over to Krempin who made

3 innings. Wiggs would therefore get credit for the loss.

D. Johnson for the Buffaloes connected for a 3-placer with one on, and D. Johnson caught a fat one for the circuit pushing in two.

Roughly, the statistics for the game were about Turnersville 5 errors, Coryell City 7; hits, Turnersville 9; Coryell City 7. One double PO was including in the nine innings which was seen by more than 500 fans, according to reports we have.

### Gallup Poll: Lawmakers' Review Public Not Excited at Congress' Record

BY GEORGE GALLUP  
Director, American Institute of Public Opinion

PRINCETON, N. J., Aug. 12.—Performance of the first Republican Congress in sixteen years, which will bear importantly on next year's presidential election, has met with mixed reaction from the country's voters.

GOP strategists drafting their 1948 appeal will find that while the record of the Eightieth Congress' first session does not elicit overwhelming praise from the voting public, neither does it come in for heavy censure.

One voter in six says the Congress did a good job, but one in four believes it did a poor job, while the rest either say it did only a fair job or express no opinion.

The survey was conducted during the last week of July (Congress adjourned July 26) and a national cross-section was asked: "In general, do you think the present Congress has done a good job or a poor job?"

Good ..... 17%  
Fair ..... 37%

Poor ..... 27%  
No Opinion ..... 19%

Generally speaking, do you think the present Congress which has been in session since Jan. 5, has done a better job, poorer job, or about the same kind of job as sessions of Congress in recent years?"

Better ..... 18%  
Poorer ..... 21%  
Same ..... 39%  
Qualified and no opinion 22%

Voters have scattered ideas about the importance of things the national legislators failed to do. The complaint registered most frequently—by about one in every seven, is that Congress should have reduced taxes. This ignores the fact that President Truman twice vetoed tax measures passed by both Houses. Earlier polls by the institute showed that most people wanted Congress to act on universal military training and minimum wages, and there also has been dissatisfaction with the housing program.

Twice as many Republicans as Democrats declare that the legislators performed well in the 7-

month session. Congress is of course controlled by the Republicans. The breakdown follows:

	Demo-	Repub-
	crat.	licans
Good .....	12%	24%
Fair .....	35	41
Poor .....	34	18
No opinion.....	19	17

Apparently farmers found more satisfaction in what Congress accomplished than any other occupation group, only 19 per cent feeling the record was poor. Union members, influenced by their dislike of the Taft-Hartley act, register substantial dissatisfaction with the session; 37 per cent of union members say it was a poor job while only 14 per cent give it a good rating.

An interesting note is that while eight out of ten voters express opinions on how good a job Congress did, fewer than half can correctly name the Congressman from their districts. This is shown in the following table:

"Can you remember off-hand the name of the United States Congressman from your district?"	
Correct .....	38%
Incorrect .....	9
No answer.....	53

### Interest Thickens In County Play-off: List All In Now, ?

Interest is building up all over Coryell county in the Coryell County Base Ball Tournament in which everything is ready, except the starting date, which is waiting on Purnela and Evant to "say when".

Here's Evant's eligibility list: R. B. Patterson, June Clifton, McNeil Griffin, Mitchell Inabnet, James Inabnet, C. C. Longmire, Floyd McGilvray, Paul Sneed, E. B. Sneed, Stooze McGlothlin, Paul January, Pat Carswell and Buddy Cox, Manager is A. T. Marshall.

And, from Turnersville: Donald Johnson, Clifford Johnson, Junior Loer, Dan Barton, Jack Nichols, Wesley Nichols, James Nichols, James Box, Paul Martin, Orville Jones, Lloyd Ivy, Burl Watts, Von Gilmore, Bird Dollins and Perry Henderson. Manager is Tobe Nichols.

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